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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHR PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Forest Department – Certain irregularities committed by Sri B.M. Chanakya Raju, Assistant Conservator of Forests (Retd.), earlier worked as Forest Range Officer, Kurnool Range, Kurnool (T) Division in recommending for shifting of Sawmills within a distance of 5 Kms from the nearest R.F. Boundary in violation of the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.91, E.F.S. & T. (FOR-III) Department, dated 11.07.2006 – Orders passed by the Hon'ble High Court of A.P., dated 25.07.2023 in W.P.No.41485/2017 filed by the Department – Departmental Proceedings initiated under Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980 read with Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Inquiry ordered - Appointment of Smt.P.Syamala, IFS., Divisional Forest Officer, Kurnool as Presenting Officer - Orders – Issued.

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ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (SEC.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.58 **Dated:27.05.2024.**
Read the following:

1. From the Hon'ble High Court of A.P., Orders dated 25.07.2023 in W.P.No.41485 of 2017 filed by the Department against the Orders of Hon'ble APAT dated 15.02.2017 in O.A.No.3069 of 2016 filed by Sri B.M.Chanakya Raju, ACF., formerly FRO., Kurnool Range, Kurnool (T) Division.
2. G.O.Ms.No.16, E.F.S. & T. (Sec.IV) Department, dated 05.03.2024.
3. G.O.Rt.No.43, E.F.S. & T. (Sec.IV) Department, dated 05.03.2024.
4. From Sri B.M.Chanakya Raju, ACF (Retd.), earlier worked as Forest Range Officer, Kurnool Range, Kurnool (T) Division, written statement of defense, dated 15.03.2024.
5. G.O.Rt.No.57, E.F.S. & T. (Sec.IV) Department, dated 27.05.2024.

ORDER:

Whereas, in the G.O. fifth read above, orders were issued, appointing Smt.R.Yasoda Bai, IFS., Conservator of Forests, R&D Circle, Mangalagiri as the Inquiry Officer under Rule 20 of the A.P.Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 to inquire into the charge framed against the charged officer Sri B.M.Chanakya Raju, Assistant Conservator of Forests (Retd.), earlier worked as Forest Range Officer, Kurnool Range, Kurnool (T) Division.

2. And whereas, it is considered that a Presenting Officer should be appointed to present on behalf of the disciplinary authority, the case in support of the articles of charge.

3. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-rule (5) of Rule 20 of the A.P.Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991, the disciplinary authority hereby appoints Smt.P.Syamala, IFS., Divisional Forest Officer, Kurnool as the Presenting Officer.

4. The Presenting Officer is requested to approach the Inquiry Officer with original records pertaining to the case along with present address of the Charged Officer so as to enable the Inquiry Officer to commence the inquiry proceedings immediately. The Presenting Officer is also requested to acquaint himself with the case thoroughly and present the case before the Inquiry Officer on behalf of the Disciplinary Authority.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

NEERABH KUMAR PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt.P.Syamala, IFS., Divisional Forest Officer & Presenting Officer, Kurnool through the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, A.P., Mangalalgiri (w.e.).

P.T.O.

Smt.R.Yasoda Bai, IFS., Conservator of Forests & Inquiry Officer, R&D Circle, Mangalagiri through the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, A.P., Mangalagiri.

Sri B.M.Chanakya Raju, Assistant Conservator of Forests (Retd.), earlier worked as Forest Range Officer, Kurnool Range, Kurnool (T) Division through the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, A.P., Mangalagiri.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, A.P., Mangalagiri.

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